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Via ECF

Honorable Ronnie Abrams
United States District Judge
Southern District of New York
40 Foley Square, Room 2203
New York, NY 10007

Re: *Melendez v. LL Floor Designs, Inc. et al.*
Case No. 1:22-cv-07169(RA)

Dear Judge Abrams:

We represent Defendants in the above-referenced matter, which involves wage claims under the Fair Labor Standards Act and New York Labor Law. Today, March 10, 2023, is the deadline for the parties to submit their signed settlement agreement, together with their joint letter application for approval pursuant to *Cheeks v. Freeport Pancake House, Inc.*, 796 F. 3d 199 (2d Cir. 2015). Counsel for Defendants are awaiting their clients' approval of a draft settlement agreement. Thus, the parties will be unable to meet today's deadline for submitting the signed agreement. With counsel for Plaintiff's consent, Defendants respectfully request a two-week extension to March 24, 2023 of the *Cheeks* deadline.

No other deadlines or scheduled appearances will be affected by the requested adjournment. This is the second request to adjourn the deadline for the *Cheeks* application.

The parties appreciate the Court's attention to this request.

Respectfully,



Marc A. Rapaport

Cc: All counsel of Record via ECF

Application granted.

SO ORDERED.



Hon. Ronnie Abrams
3/13/2023